

It is a class A misdemeanor punishable, notwithstanding the provisions of section 560.021, RSMo, to the contrary, for a term of imprisonment not to exceed one year in the county jail or a fine not to exceed ten thousand dollars or both, for anyone to sign any initiative petition with any name other than his or her own, or knowingly to sign his or her name more than once for the same measure for the same election, or to sign a petition when such person knows he or she is not a registered voter.

INITIATIVE PETITION

To the Honorable Jay Ashcroft, Secretary of State for the state of Missouri:
We, the undersigned, registered voters of the state of Missouri and County (or city of St. Louis), respectfully order that the following amendment to the constitution shall be submitted to the voters of the state of Missouri, for their approval or rejection, at the general election to be held on the 6th day of November, 2018 and each for himself or herself says: I have personally signed this petition; I am a registered voter of the state of Missouri and County (or city of St. Louis), my registered voting address and the name of the city, town or village in which I live are correctly written after my name.

[Official Ballot Title]

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CIRCULATOR'S AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF MISSOURI, County Of
I,, being first duly sworn, say (print or type names of signers)

Name (signature)	DATE SIGNED	REGISTERED VOTING ADDRESS (Street) (City, Town or Village)	ZIP CODE	CONGR. DIST.	NAME (Print or Typed)
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signed this page of the foregoing petition, and each of them signed his or her name thereto in my presence; I believe that each has stated his or her name, registered voting address and city, town or village correctly, and that each signer is a registered voter of the state of Missouri and County.
FURTHERMORE, I HEREBY SWEAR OR AFFIRM UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY THAT ALL STATEMENTS MADE BY ME ARE TRUE AND CORRECT AND THAT I HAVE NEVER BEEN CONVICTED OF, FOUND GUILTY OF, OR PLED GUILTY TO ANY OFFENSE INVOLVING FORGERY.
I am at least 18 years of age. I do do not (check one) expect to be paid for circulating this petition.

If paid, list the payer

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Signature of Affiant (Person obtaining signatures)
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(Printed Name of Affiant)
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(Address of Affiant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of, A.D.....

Notary Public (Seal)
My commission expires.....

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(Signature of Notary)
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(Address of Notary).

Be it resolved by the people of the state of Missouri that the Constitution be amended:

35 of Article I of the Constitution of Missouri is amended by modifying section 35. The existing section 35 is set forth hereinafter with the new matter bold and deleted matter in brackets,

Definitions of terms, as used in this Act:

- a) Cannabis: refers to the cannabis, marihuana, marijuana, cannabis, sativa, cannabis indica, cannabis ruderalis, or any variety of cannabis, including but not limited to, derivative, concentrate, extract, flower, leaf, particle, preparation, resin, root, salt, seed, stalk, stem, or any product thereof
- b) Hemp: The fiber of this plant, extracted from the stem and used to make rope, fabrics, fiberboard, clothing, and paper. The sister plant of cannabis

That agriculture which provides food, energy, health benefits, and security is the foundation and stabilizing force of Missouri's economy. To protect this vital sector of Missouri's economy, the right of farmers and ranchers to engage in farming and ranching practices, including but not limited to the right to grow cannabis and hemp, shall be forever guaranteed in this state, subject to duly authorized powers, if any, conferred by article VI of the Constitution of Missouri.